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(57) Abstract: Compounds of formula (I): modulate the activity of Υ -secretase, and hence find use in treatment or prevention of Alzheimer's disease and related conditions.